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THE ILLINOIS PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING ACT

AN ACT to regulate the practice of Professional Engineering, and to repeal an Act to regulate the practice of Professional Engineering filed July 24, 1941, and to make an appropriation therefor. [Approved July 20, 1945.]

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

Section 1. In order to safeguard life, health and property, any person practicing or offering to practice professional engineering is required to submit evidence that he is qualified so to practice and to be registered as hereinafter provided. It is unlawful for any person not so registered to practice or offer to practice professional engineering in this State, or to use in connection with his name or otherwise assume, use, or advertise any title or description implying that he is a Registered Professional Engineer.

Sec. 2. A person practices professional engineering, within the meaning of this Act, who plans or designs the physical parts of the following: railroads, railways, highways, subways, tunnels, canals, harbors, river improvements, docks and drydocks; levees; irrigation works; aircraft, air ports and landing fields; waterworks, sewers; sewage disposal works; plants for the generation of power; engines or motors for the utilization of power; boilers; refrigeration plants; air conditioning

plants; heating plants; plants for the transmission or distribution of power; electrical plants which produce, transmit, distribute, or utilize electrical energy; works for the extraction of minerals from the earth; plants for the refining, alloying or treating of metal; chemical works and industrial plants involving the use of chemical and chemical processes.

Sec. 3. The practices and acts described in paragraphs 1 to 15 inclusive of this Section are exempt from the provisions of this Act:

1. The practice of structural engineering as defined in the "Illinois Structural Engineering Act."

2. The practice of architecture as defined in the "Illinois Architectural Act."

3. The engaging in the business of a master plumber as defined in "The Illinois Plumbing License Law," filed June 17, 1935, as amended.

4. The activities essential to the operation and maintenance of machinery, equipment and structures or of mechanics in the performance of their established functions;

5. The practice of a person not a resident of and having no established place of business in this State, practicing or offering to practice professional engineering when such practice does not exceed in the aggregate more than thirty days in any calendar year, if such person is legally qualified by registration to practice professional engineering in some other state or country in which the requirements and qualifications for obtaining a certificate of registration are not lower than those specified in this Act;

6. The practice of a person who has, within the last preceding year, become a resident, practicing or offering to practice professional engineering, and who has filed with the Department an application for a certificate of registration and has paid the fee required by this Act,

if such person is legally qualified by registration to practice professional engineering in some other state or country in which the requirements and qualifications for obtaining a certificate of registration are not lower than those specified in this Act. Such practice shall be permitted only for such time as the Department requires for the consideration of the application for registration.

7. The work of an employee or a subordinate of a person holding a certificate of registration under this Act, or an employee of a person practicing lawfully under paragraphs 4 or 5 of this Section; provided such work is done under the supervision of a person holding a certificate of registration under this Act or a person practicing lawfully under said paragraphs.

8. The practice of officers and employees of the Government of the United States while engaged within this State in the practice of the profession of engineering for said Government.

9. The execution of work as distinguished from the planning or design thereof, and the supervision of the construction of such work as a foreman or superintendent.

10. Services performed by employees of a company engaged in manufacturing operations, or by employees of laboratory research affiliates of such a manufacturing company, which is incidental to the manufacture, sales, and installation of the products of the company.

11. Inspection and service work done by employees of the State of Illinois, any political subdivision thereof or any municipality therein, and of insurance rating bureaus, insurance service bureaus, insurance companies or insurance agents.

12. The services performed by those ordinarily designated as chief engineer of plant operation, chief operating engineer, locomotive,

stationary, marine, power plant or hoisting and portable engineers, or electrical maintenance or service engineers, or engineers employed in connection with street lighting, traffic control signals, police and fire alarm systems, water works, steam, electric, and sewage treatment and disposal plants, or the services ordinarily performed by any workman regularly employed as a locomotive, stationary, marine, power plant, or hoisting and portable engineer or electrical maintenance or service engineer for any corporation, contractor or employer.

13. The services performed by those persons ordinarily designated as supervising engineer or superintendent of power or supervising, electrical maintenance or service engineer who supervises the operation of, or who operates machinery or equipment, or who supervises construction or the installation of equipment within a plant which is under this own immediate supervision.

14. The services of superintendents, inspectors or foremen employed by the State of Illinois or any political subdivision thereof or municipal corporation therein, contractors or owners in the construction of engineering works or the installation of equipment.

15. The planning and designing of work incidental to plumbing and piping contracts.

Sec. 4. For the purposes of this Act:

“Professional engineer” means a person who practices professional engineering as described in Section 2.

“Registered Professional Engineer” means a professional engineer registered under the provisions of this Act.

“Department” means the Department of Registration and Education.

“Director” means the Director of the Department of Registration and Education.

“Committee” means the Examining Committee provided for by this Act.

“Engineering College” means a school, college, university, department of a university or other educational institution, reputable and in good standing in accordance with rules prescribed by the Department, and which grants baccalaureate degrees in engineering.

Sec. 5. The Department shall exercise, subject to the provisions of this Act, the following functions, powers and duties:

1. Conduct examinations to ascertain the qualifications of applicants for certificates of registration as professional engineers, and pass upon the qualifications of applicants for reciprocal licenses, certificates and authorities;

2. Prescribe rules for a method of examination of applicants;

3. Prescribe rules and regulations defining what shall constitute an engineering college, reputable and in good standing, and to determine whether or not an engineering college is reputable and in good standing by reference to a compliance with such rules and regulations, and to terminate the approval of such engineering college as reputable and in good standing for non-compliance with such rules; provided that no engineering college whose requirements for graduation are below those of the College of Engineering of the University of Illinois, or which refuses admittance to applicants solely on account of race, color or creed shall be considered reputable and in good standing;

4. Conduct hearings on proceedings to refuse to issue, to suspend, revoke or refuse renewal of licenses, certificates or authorities of persons applying for registration or registered under the provisions of this Act and to refuse to issue, revoke or refuse to renew such licenses or certificates or authorities;

5. Maintain membership in and appoint delegates to the National Council of State Boards of Engineering Examiners;

6. Formulate rules as may be required to administer this Act.

None of the foregoing functions, powers or duties enumerated shall be exercised by the Department except upon the action and report in writing of the Committee which shall be composed of persons designated by the Director to take such action and to make such report for the profession involved herein.

The action or report in writing of the majority of the Committee shall be sufficient authority upon which the Director may act. Whenever the Director is satisfied that substantial justice has not been done in an examination or hearing he may order a re-examination or a rehearing by the same Committee or by a Special Committee consisting of five registered professional engineers, designated by the Director, each of whom has the qualifications required by Section 6a.

Sec. 6.a. The Committee shall consist of nine professional engineers, appointed by the Director, each of whom shall be a professional engineer qualified for registration under this Act and in addition shall:

- (1) be a citizen of the United States;
- (2) be a resident of this State;
- (3) have had not less than twelve (12) years of experience in the practice of professional engineering;
- (4) have been in charge of professional engineering work for at least five (5) years, provided that, for the purposes of this section, any period in which a person has been in charge of engineering teaching, with the rank of assistant professor, or higher, in an engineering college, shall be considered as time in which such person was in charge of professional engineering work.

b. The first members of the Committee shall be appointed within sixty days after this Act becomes a law, to serve for the following terms: three members for one year, three members for two years, three members for three years, from the date of their appointment and until their successors are appointed and qualified. On the expiration of the term of any member, the Director shall appoint for a term of three years a Registered Professional Engineer having the qualifications required by Section 6(a) to take the place of the member whose term has expired, who shall hold office until the expiration of the term for which he is appointed and until his successor has been appointed and qualified.

Sec. 7. The records of the Department shall be prima facie evidence of the proceedings of the Department set forth therein, and a transcript thereof certified by the Superintendent of Registration shall be admissible in evidence with the same force and effect as if the original were produced.

Sec. 8. A roster showing the names and places of business of all professional engineers registered under this Act shall be prepared by the Department in August of each year. Two copies of this roster shall be placed on file with the Secretary of State, two copies thereof placed on file with the Dean of the College of Engineering of the University of Illinois, and two copies of thereof retained on file by the Department.

Sec. 9. A person is qualified to receive a certificate of registration who is of good moral character and temperate habits, and

1. Successfully passes a written, or written and oral, examination designed to show knowledge and skill equivalent to that attained through graduation from an engineering college; and has had eight years or more of experience in professional engineering; or

2. Has graduated from an engineering college and has had four years or more of experience in professional engineering.

Sec. 10. In considering the qualifications of applicants:

1. The satisfactory completion of each one-fourth of the total hours of academic credit required for the awarding of a baccalaureate degree in engineering by an engineering college shall be considered as equivalent to one year of professional engineering experience, as required by Section 9(1); provided that undergraduate educational credit shall not be accepted in lieu of more than three years of professional engineering experience when such credit does not result in the granting of a baccalaureate degree in engineering.

2. The satisfactory completion of each year of engineering study as a graduate student in the Graduate Department of an engineering college, subsequent to the earning of a baccalaureate degree in a field of professional engineering, shall be considered as equivalent to a year of professional engineering experience; provided that graduate educational credit shall not be accepted in lieu of more than two years of professional engineering experience as required by Section 9.

3. Teaching professional engineering subjects in an engineering college shall be considered as experience in professional engineering.

Sec. 11. Applications for registration shall (a) be on forms prescribed and furnished by the Department, (b) contain statements made under oath showing the applicant's education and a detailed summary of his technical work, and (c) contain not less than five references, of whom three or more shall be professional engineers having personal knowledge of his professional engineering experience. The fee for

registration as provided in Section 28 shall accompany the application.

Sec. 12. 1. Examinations provided for by this Act shall be conducted under rules prescribed by the Department. Examinations shall be held not less frequently than semi-annually, at times and places prescribed by the Department, of which applicants shall be notified by the Department in writing.

2. Examinations of applicants who seek to practice professional engineering shall embrace the subjects required of candidates for a baccalaureate degree of engineering by the College of Engineering of the University of Illinois, and shall be such as will establish whether or not the applicant has the professional engineering experience required by Section 9.

Sec. 13. The Department shall issue a certificate of registration upon payment of the proper registration fee to any applicant who has satisfactorily met all of the requirements of this Act. The certificate of registration shall authorize the practice of "Professional Engineering," show the full name of the registrant, have a serial number, and be signed by the Director.

The issuance of a certificate of registration by the Department shall be prima facie evidence that the person named therein is entitled to all of the rights and privileges of a registered professional engineer, while the certificate remains unsuspended, unrevoked or unexpired.

Each registrant shall, upon registration, obtain a seal of the design authorized by the Department bearing the registrant's name and the legend, "Registered Professional Engineer of Illinois." Plans and specifications rendered as professional engineering services by a Registered Professional Engineer shall be stamped

with such seal, during the life of the registrant's certificate, but it is unlawful for anyone to stamp or seal any documents with such a seal after the certificate of the registrant named thereon has expired or during any period in which his certificate is suspended or revoked.

Sec. 14. Each Registered Professional Engineer who continues in active practice shall, annually, on or before July 1 renew his certificate of registration and pay the required renewal fee. Every certificate of registration which has not been renewed on or before July 1, or during the month of July, shall expire on August 1 in that year. A Registered Professional Engineer whose certificate of registration has expired may have his certificate restored only upon payment of all lapsed renewal fees and also upon payment of the required restoration fee, provided that not more than five years have elapsed since the date of expiration.

Any Registered Professional Engineer who has permitted his certificate to expire for more than five years may have his certificate restored by making application to the Department and filing proof acceptable to the Department of his fitness to have his certificate of registration restored and by paying the required restoration fee. However, any registered professional engineer whose certificate of registration has expired while he was engaged (1) in federal service on active duty with the armed forces of the United States, including the United States Merchant Marine, or (2) in training or education under the supervision of the United States preliminary to induction into the military service, may have his certificate of registration restored without paying any lapsed renewal fees or restoration fee or passing any examination, if within two years after termination of such service, training or edu-

cation, other than by dishonorable discharge, he furnishes the Department with an affidavit to the effect that he was so engaged and that his service, training or education was so terminated.

The Director shall notify every registrant of the date of expiration of his certificate and the amount of the fee required for its renewal for one year. The notice shall be mailed to the place of business last theretofore specified by the registrant in his last notification to the Department at least one month in advance of the expiration of the certificate. (As amended by act approved July 18, 1947.)

Sec. 15. 1. At any time within one year after this Act becomes effective, upon application therefor, and the payment of the registration fee as provided for in Section 28, the Department shall issue a certificate of registration, without oral or written examination, to any professional engineer who submits evidence, under oath, satisfactory to the Committee that he is of good moral character, and temperate habits, has been a resident of the State of Illinois for at least one year immediately preceding the date of his application, and was practicing professional engineering at the time this Act became effective.

2. Any person who, at the effective date of this Act, is on active duty with the armed forces of the United States, including the United States Merchant Marine, or is in training or education under the supervision of the United States preliminary to induction into active military service, shall, at any time within two years after such active military service or such training or education is terminated, upon application therefor, and the payment of the registration fee as provided in Section 28, be entitled to receive a certificate of registration without oral or written examination, if he submits evidence, under oath, satisfactory to the Com-

mittee that he is of good moral character and temperate habits, was a resident of the State of Illinois, and that he was practicing professional engineering at the time of entering such service or training. (As amended by act approved July 18, 1947.)

As to the effect of more than one amendment of a section at the same session of the General Assembly, see *P. ex rel. Hines v. Baltimore & O. S. W. R. Co.*, 366 Ill. 318; *P. ex rel. Martin v. Village of Oak Park*, 372, Ill. 488; *S. Buchsbaum & Co. v. Gordon*, 389 Ill. 493; *P. ex rel. Schlaeger v. Mattes*, 396 Ill. 348. See Sec. 15, post.

Sec. 15. 1. At any time within one year after this Act becomes effective, upon application therefor, and the payment of the registration fee as provided for in Section 27, the Department shall issue a certificate of registration, without oral or written examination, to any professional engineer who submits evidence, under oath, satisfactory to the Committee that he is of good moral character, and temperate habits, has been a resident of the State of Illinois for at least one year immediately preceding the date of his application, and was practicing professional engineering at the time this Act became effective.

2. Any person who, at the effective date of this Act, is on active duty with the armed forces of the United States, including the United States Merchant Marine, or is in training or education under the supervision of the United States preliminary to induction into active military service, shall, at any time within thirty months after such active military service or such training or education is terminated, upon application therefor, and the payment of the registration fee as provided in Section 27, be entitled to receive a certificate of registration without oral or written examination, if he submits evidence, under oath, satisfactory to the

Committee that he is of good moral character and temperate habits, was a resident of the State of Illinois, and that he was practicing professional engineering at the time of entering such service or training. (As amended by act approved July 2, 1947. See Sec. 15 ante.)

Sec. 16. The Department shall, upon application therefor and upon the recommendation of the Committee and the payment of the fee as provided for in Section 28, issue a certificate of registration to any professional engineer who holds an unexpired certificate of registration issued to him by any State or Territory or Possession of the United States, or of any country, provided that (a) the requirements for the registration of professional engineers under which the certificate of registration was issued do not conflict with the provisions of this Act, (b) the requirements for the registration of professional engineers under which the certificate of registration was issued are substantially equal to those specified in Section 9 and (c) the particular State or Territory or Possession of the United States, or country extends similar privileges to persons registered under this Act.

Sec. 17. At any time within one year after this Act becomes effective the Department shall, upon application therefor, and the payment of the fee as provided for in Section 28, issue a certificate of registration to any applicant holding an unexpired certificate of registration as a Registered Structural Engineer or a Registered Architect issued by the State of Illinois.

After this Act has been in effect one year, the Department shall issue certificates of registration without examination only as provided for in Section 15 (2) or Section 16 hereof.

Sec. 18. The Department may either refuse to issue, or may suspend or revoke any cer-

tificate of registration for any one, or any combination, of the following causes:

1. The practice of any fraud or deceit in obtaining or attempting to obtain a certificate of registration;
2. Any gross negligence, incompetency or misconduct in the practice of professional engineering as a registered professional engineer;
3. Conviction of a felony;
4. Being declared insane by a court of competent jurisdiction and not thereafter having been lawfully declared sane;
5. Failure to comply with any of the provisions of this Act or any of the rules of the Department pertaining thereto.

Sec. 19. The Department may upon its own motion and shall upon the sworn complaint in writing of any person setting forth charges which, if proved, would constitute grounds for refusal, suspension or revocation of a certificate as hereinabove set forth, investigate the actions of any person holding or claiming to hold a certificate.

The Department shall, before refusing to issue, suspending or revoking any certificate, at least ten days prior to the date set for the hearing, notify the applicant or holder of the certificate, in writing, of any charges made, and shall afford him an opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel in reference thereto. Such notice may be served by its delivery personally to the accused person, or by mailing it by registered mail to the place of business last theretofore specified by the accused person in his last notification to the Department. At the time and place fixed in the notice, the Committee shall proceed to hearing of the charges and both the accused person and the complainant shall be accorded ample opportunity to present in person or by counsel, such state-

ments, testimony, evidence and argument as may be pertinent to the charges or to any defense thereto. The Committee may continue such hearing from time to time. If the Committee is not sitting at the time and place to which the hearing has been continued, the Department may continue the hearing for a period not to exceed thirty days, and notice in writing shall be given to all parties in interest of the date and hour to which the hearing has been continued, and the place at which it is to be held.

Sec. 20. The Department has power to subpoena and bring before it any person in this State and to take testimony, either orally or by deposition, or both, with the same fees and mileage and in the same manner as prescribed by law in judicial procedure in civil cases in courts of record of this State.

The Director, Assistant Director of the Department and any member of the Committee has power to administer oaths to witnesses at any hearing which the Department is authorized by law to conduct.

Sec. 21. Any circuit or superior court, or any judge thereof, upon the application of the accused person or complainant or of the Department, may, by order duly entered, require the attendance of witnesses and the production of relevant books and papers before the Department in any hearing relative to the application for or refusal, suspension or revocation of a certificate, and the court or judge may compel obedience to its or his order by proceedings for contempt.

Sec. 22. The Department, at its expense, shall provide a stenographer to take down the testimony and preserve a record of all proceedings at the hearing of any case wherein a certificate is refused, revoked, or suspended. The notice of hearing, complaint and all other

documents in the nature of pleadings and written motions filed in the proceedings, the transcript of testimony, the report of the Committee and the orders of the Department shall be the record of such proceedings. The Department shall furnish a transcript of such record to any person interested in such hearing upon payment therefor of twenty-five cents per one hundred words for each original transcript and eight cents per one hundred words for each carbon copy thereof ordered with the original: provided, the charge for any part of such transcript ordered and paid for previous to the writing of the original record thereof shall be eight cents per hundred words.

Sec. 23. After the completion of any hearing under Section 19, the Committee shall present to the Director a written report of its findings and recommendations. A copy of the report shall be served upon the accused person, either personally or by mailing it by registered mail to the place of business last theretofore specified by the accused person in his last notification to the Department. Within twenty days after such service, the accused person may present to the Department his motion in writing for a rehearing, which motion shall specify the particular grounds therefor. The Committee shall consider any motion for a rehearing so filed and shall grant or deny such motion within twenty days after the receipt thereof by the Department. In case the motion for rehearing be granted, the Committee shall proceed as promptly as possible to consider the matters presented by such motion, and shall hold such further hearing or hearings, pursuant to the provisions of Section 19 so far as applicable, as the Committee shall deem advisable. Upon the completion of such rehearing, the Committee shall present to the Director a written report of its findings and recommendations on rehearing.

In the event no such motion for rehearing be filed, then upon the expiration of the time specified for filing a motion for rehearing, or in the event such motion be filed and denied, then upon such denial, the Director shall enter an order in accordance with the recommendations of the Committee. In the event such motion be filed and a rehearing granted, then upon receipt of the Committee's findings and recommendations on rehearing, the Director shall enter an order in accordance therewith.

If the accused person orders and pays for a transcript of the record the time elapsing thereafter and before the transcript is ready for delivery to him shall not be counted as part of such twenty days.

At the expiration of the time specified for filing a motion for a rehearing, the Director has the right to take the action recommended by the Committee. Upon the suspension or revocation of his certificate of registration, a registrant shall be required to surrender his certificate of registration to the Department, and upon his failure or refusal so to do, the Department has the right to seize it.

Sec. 24. The circuit or superior court of the county wherein the accused person resides has power to review any order of revocation or suspension and all questions of law and fact thereby by writ of certiorari to the Department. If the accused person is not a resident of this State and the venue is not otherwise fixed herein, the venue shall be in Sangamon County.

The writ shall be issued by the clerk of the court upon praecipe and it shall be served at least ten days before the return day thereof. Service upon the Director or Assistant Director of the Department shall be service on the Department. Such proceedings shall be commenced within twenty days of the accused

person's receipt of notice of the order of refusal, revocation or suspension.

The Department shall not be required to certify the record of its proceedings unless the accused person first pays to it the sum of five cents per one hundred words of the record. Exhibits shall be certified without cost.

No Department order of refusal, suspension or revocation shall be set aside or vacated on any ground not specified in the motion for rehearing; provided, that if no motion for rehearing has been filed by the person whose certificate of registration has been revoked or suspended, the court may consider any question which could properly have been raised by a motion for rehearing, and may base its order upon such ground or grounds.

Sec. 25. An order of refusal to issue, revocation or suspension, or a certified copy thereof, over the seal of the Department and purporting to be signed by the Director shall be prima facie proof that:

1. Such signature is the genuine signature of the Director;
2. Such Director is duly appointed and qualified;
3. The Committee and the members thereof are qualified to act;

An order of refusal, revocation or suspension shall be conclusive proof that all precedent and concurrent acts of Department officers and of the Committee necessary to the validity of the order were pursuant to authority conferred by the Director.

Sec. 26. Appeals from all final orders and judgments entered by a circuit or superior court in review of an order of the Department may be taken directly to the Supreme Court by either party to the action within sixty days after service of a copy of the order or judgment of the circuit or superior court, and shall

be governed by the rules applying to other civil cases appealed to the Supreme Court, except that formal pleadings shall not be required.

The pendency of an appeal or writ of certiorari shall not of itself stay or suspend the operation of an order of refusal, revocation or suspension; but during the pendency of such suit or appeal, the circuit or superior court, or the Supreme Court, as the case may be, in its discretion, may stay the operation of such order in whole or in part upon such terms and conditions as the court may prescribe. No such stay shall be granted by the court otherwise than upon ten days' notice to the Department and after a hearing.

Sec. 27. The fee to be paid by an applicant upon filing his application for registration when examinations are required is Twenty dollars (\$20.00). An applicant failing to pass an examination may apply for reexamination at the expiration of six months and will be reexamined without payment of additional fee. The fee to be paid for subsequent examinations to determine his fitness to receive a certificate of registration is ten dollars (\$10.00).

The fee to be paid by an applicant upon filing his application for registration under Section 15 is ten dollars (\$10.00).

The fee to be paid by an applicant upon filing his application for registration under Section 16 is ten dollars (\$10.00).

The fee to be paid by an applicant upon filing his application for registration under Section 17 is one dollar (\$1.00).

The fee to be paid for the renewal of a certificate of registration is three dollars (\$3.00).

The fee to be paid for the restoration of a certificate of registration which has expired for not more than five years is five dollars (\$5.00).

The fee to be paid for the restoration of a

certificate of registration which has expired for more than five years is fifteen dollars (\$15.00).

The fee to be paid for the issuance of a duplicate certificate of registration is five dollars (\$5.00).

Sec. 28. Each of the following is punishable by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00), nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00), or imprisonment in the county jail for a period of not exceeding three months, or both;

1. The practice, or offer to practice, professional engineering in this State without a certificate of registration as a professional engineer;

2. The presenting, or attempting to use, as his own, the certificate of registration or the seal of another;

3. The submitting of false or forged evidence of any kind to the Department in obtaining a certificate of registration;

4. The false impersonation of any other registrant;

5. The use or attempted use of an expired, suspended, or revoked certificate of registration;

6. The affixing of a Registered Professional Engineer's seal to any work which has not been done by, or under the personal supervision of, that Registered Professional Engineer;

7. The violation of any of the provisions of this Act.

Sec. 29. No Professional Engineer shall practice either Structural Engineering as defined in the "Illinois Structural Engineering Act" or Architecture as defined in the "Illinois Architectural Act" unless he is registered pursuant to the provisions of either the "Illinois Structural Engineering Act" or the "Illinois Architectural Act."

Sec. 30. This Act may be known and cited as "The Illinois Professional Engineering Act."

Sec. 31. An Act entitled "An Act to regulate the practice of Professional Engineering," filed July 24, 1941, is hereby repealed.

Sec. 32. Appropriation.

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